1 2 3 4 5 6 7	PAUL R. CORT, State Bar No. 184336 IRENE V. GUTIERREZ, State Bar No. 252927 Earthjustice 50 California Street San Francisco, CA 94111 pcort@earthjustice.org igutierrez@earthjustice.org Tel: 415-217-2000/Fax: 415-217-2040 Attorneys for Plaintiffs Sierra Club, American Lung Association, Environmental Defense Fund, and Natural Resources Defense Council	
8 9 10	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
	OAKLAND DIVISION	
11 12 13	SIERRA CLUB, AMERICAN LUNG ASSOCIATION, ENVIROMENTAL DEFENSE FUND, and NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL	Case No: 4:13-cv-02809-YGR
14 15 16 17 18	Plaintiffs, v. UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY; GINA McCARTHY, in her official capacity as Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Defendants.	JOINT STATUS UPDATE ON SETTLEMENT DISCUSSIONS Date: December 12, 2013 Time: 9:00 a.m. Place: Oakland Courthouse, Courtroom 5, 2d Fl Judge: Hon. Yvonne Gonzalez Rogers
20 21	The parties to the above-entitled action submit this JOINT STATUS UPDATE ON	
22	SETTLEMENT DISCUSSIONS pursuant to the Court's minute order following the initial Case	
23	Management Conference on November 4, 2013 (Dkt. No. 36).	
24	After the initial case management conference, the parties exchanged several settlement	
25	offers and counteroffers. As of the date of the filing of this statement, settlement discussions are	
26	continuing.	
27		
28		
	Page 1 of 2 JOINT STATUS UPDATE ON SETTLEMENT DISCUSSIONS Case No. 4:13-cv-02809-YGR	

In the event a settlement is reached, the parties will promptly inform the Court. In the 1 2 event that the parties are unable to reach a settlement, they will follow the schedule for briefing 3 and hearing motions for summary judgment set by the Court (Dkt. No. 36). 4 5 Dated: December 5, 2013 /s/6 PAUL R. CORT, State Bar No. 184336 7 IRENE V. GUTIERREZ, State Bar No. 252927 Earthjustice 8 50 California Street 9 San Francisco, CA 94111 pcort@earthjustice.org 10 igutierrez@earthjustice.org Telephone (415) 217-2000 11 Attorneys for Plaintiffs 12 13 ROBERT G. DREHER Acting Assistant Attorney General 14 Environment and Natural Resources Division 15 /s/__ 16 LESLIE M. HILL, D.C. Bar No. 476008 17 U.S. Department of Justice Environment & Natural Resources Division 18 **Environmental Defense Section** 601 D Street N.W., Suite 8000 19 Washington D.C. 20004 Leslie.Hill@usdoj.gov 20 Telephone (202) 514-0375 21 Facsimile (202) 514 8865 22 Attorneys for Defendants 23 24 25 26 27 28